

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9734**
Ken'ichi NAGATA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0131A
Serial No. 10/567,356 : Group Art Unit 2627
Filed March 6, 2006 : Examiner Wm. Joseph Klimowicz

OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING
MEDIUM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING
THE SAME

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of May 7, 2008, Applicants hereby elect
Group I, which is drawn to an optical information recording medium and is embodied by claims
1-9.

Having made the required election, a full examination on the merits of the elected group
is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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